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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PORG, WTO

SUBJECT:WTO ASSEMBLY: AFFILIATE MEMBERS

1. REQUEST MISSION ASCERTAIN FROM WTO SECRETARIAT WHICH US BASED COMMERCIAL BODIES OR ASSOCIATIONS HAVE BEEN INVITED TO ATTEND FIRST 1ST WTO ASSEMBLY AS AFFILIATE MEMBERS OR ELIGIBLE TO BECOME AFFILIATE MEMBERS. WATERS AND CHILDS (NE' YORK) AND AMERICAN EXPRESS (NEW YORK) ARE ONLY ONES WE NOW KNOW OF IN FIRST CATEGORY, AND AAA (WASHINGTON) ONLY ONE IN SECOND CATEGORY.

2. REQUEST MISSION FURTHER EXPLORE WITH SECRETARIAT (A) HOW PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 7.1 AND 7.4 ARE BEING IMPLEMENTED IN THIS CONNECTION, (B) RESPONSIBILITIES OF USG WITH RESPECT TO ARTICLE 7.4 APPLICATIONS, AND (C) AFFILIATE MEMBERSHIP RIGHTS US BASED COMMERCIAL BODIES OR ASSOCIATIONS, WHICH WERE FORMERLY ASSOCIATE MEMBERS OF IUOTO, WOULD HAVE UNDER ARTICLE 7.2 IF OUTCOME OF FIRST ASSEMBLY WERE SUCH THAT USG FORCED TO DECIDE NOT TO FORMALIZE US MEMBERSHIP IN WTO.

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3. RE GENEVA 2377 IT IS UNCLEAR TO DEPARTMENT WHY US  
ASKED TO ENDORSE AFFILIATE MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION OF  
A COMMERCIAL BODY BASED IN NASSAU (PRESUMABLY BAHAMAS). KISSINGER

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